

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

The rejection of claims 1-20, 23 and 39 under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, applicant has amended the claims above so as to remove each stated basis for such rejection.

In addition, some of the claim dependencies have been altered and claim 39 has been cancelled.

The indication of allowable subject matter at claims 21-22 and 24-38 is appreciatively noted.

There being no other outstanding issues, this entire application is now believed to be in allowable condition and a formal notice to that effect is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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